



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

HENRY et al.

Serial No.: 09/930,503

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For: "OLIGONUCLEOTIDES AND OTHER
MODULATORS OF THE NK-1
RECEPTOR PATHWAY AND
THERAPEUTIC USES THEREOF"

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Dear Sir:

Applicants, through their attorneys, respectfully petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) of five (5) months to respond to the Office Action mailed on September 9, 2005, with respect to the above-identified application, thereby extending the period for response from October 9, 2005, to March 9, 2006.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,080.00 as payment for the extension fee. Please credit any overpayment or debit any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Respectfully submitted,

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